

5. (Amended) Protective hood according to claim 1, further characterized in that the coating weight of the coating material lies between 10 and 150 g/cm<sup>2</sup>, preferably between 20 and 40 g/cm<sup>2</sup>.

6. (Amended) Protective hood according to claim 1, further characterized in that the support material and/or the coating material are colored.

7. (Amended) Protective hood according to claim 1, further characterized in that the support material and/or the coating material contain additives, particularly a UV stabilizer or a flame-protection agent.

8. (Amended) Protective hood according to claim 1, further characterized in that the coating material is free of plasticizers and solvents.

9. (Amended) Protective hood according to any one of the preceding claims, namely a protective hood for automobiles or automobile parts.

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#### REMARKS

No claims have been canceled or added herein. Claims 3-9 have been amended herein. Therefore, claims 1-9 are under active consideration.

It is respectfully submitted that the present application is in condition for allowance. Prompt and favorable action is earnestly solicited.

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